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MICHIGAN MINE ACCIDENT

BRAKE FAILED TO HOLD THE
CAGE.

Megaunee, Mich., Sept. 20.—By a cage plunging 760 feet down the shaft of the Jones & Laughlin steel mine, eleven men were killed and seven fatally injured. The cage with its human freight was being lowered on its first trip of the day, when the brake suddenly failed to hold. Two other men sprang to the assistance of the one at the brake wheel, but their efforts did not avail, and the wire cable continued to uncoil from the drum like thread from a bobbin. The cage shot down a couple of hundred feet before a kink in the too-rapidly paying cable caused it to part and from that point the cage had a sheer drop to the bottom of the shaft.

Failed to Work.

The safety clutches with which it was equipped failed to operate. The surging of the cable in its mad flight tore out part of the engine house and ripped out several of the cables. Workmen at the bottom of the mine immediately set about the task of removing the dead. The bodies lay in one pile, a mass of lifeless flesh and blood. The bones of the bodies were so shattered that the men when they fell were piled on top of each other like so many pellets of lead. Seven men were found still alive.

Weeping and Wailing on Top.

Thousands of people soon congregated about the mine shaft. In the crowd were the wives and children of the two hundred men who are employed in the mine. Each thought that a husband or parent or son was in the cage. There was no way of relieving the suspense as the fallen cage blocked the exit. It was fully two hours before the cage was adjusted so that the cage could be raised to the surface. During all this time, women with babies in their arms cried hysterically or fainted. When all the bodies were recovered, the scene was pitiful. Priests and ministers moved among the people, consoling them and begging them to be calm.

RECEPTION AT ACADEMY.

Students of Ricks Entertained by Members of the Faculty.

Rexburg, Ida., Sept. 20.—On Wednesday night the students of the Ricks academy were given a reception by the faculty in the auditorium. An impromptu program was given by the faculty. The program was called on to "do something." The program certainly had the effect desired, to remove all homesickness and blues. After the program, refreshments, consisting of fruits, were served in the domestic science room. About 150 students were present. These meetings are held annually to have the students and teachers get acquainted. About 150 students were present. These meetings are held annually to have the students and teachers get acquainted.

Professor Engr of the academy will organize two brass bands at the academy this coming week. A fire broke out in the rear of John Layman's residence this week and for a short time threatened to do a great amount of damage, but through prompt action of the new volunteer fire department it was brought under control and extinguished. The water system and fire department are a great protection and places can be reached at long distance from the main street. The fire department has 1,200 feet of good fire hose.

"He Lost Papers"

Which were of no use to any one else but which were invaluable to him, and which he cannot replace. How often have you read something like the above after a fire? Provide against such an occurrence in your own case by getting a safety deposit box at the Salt Lake Security & Trust company, 22-4 Main street. The cost is less than a cent a day, the safety is absolute.

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Your winter's coal supply can be assured by buying Consumers' Coal mining stock. Will start shipping next month. Preference given to stockholders. Apply F. E. Trench, 352 Commercial club. Bell phone 1350.

Ask your grocers for the Vienna Walnut Bread.

Unusual Richness

Characterizes our fur display, and is arousing a world of interest. Attend our opening next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Mehney, the Furrier, Knutsford.



Lest you forget, we want you to know that "Money Back" Shoes for fall are here. In all the beautiful shades, lasts and styles, at prices to suit every purse in keeping with "Money Back" dealings. Davis Shoe Co.

BIG SEWER HELD UP FOR MONTHS BY BOARD OF WORKS PROCRASTINATION

By its failure to act in time the board of public works has probably made it impossible to use the new intercepting sewer which will drain the western section of the city until two or three months after its completion.

Recently the board advertised for bids for the installation of a pumping plant at Ninth North and Fourth West streets, and the laying of 4,000 feet of wooden stave pipe to connect the plant with the sewer. The plan to be used to pump the sewage into the gravity sewer which has an outlet at the sewer farm, was a meeting of the board last evening bids for this plant were to be opened, but no bids were received. P. Kennedy, who is building the intercepting sewer, stated that he would bid on the work, but that he did not think it possible for thirty days at least, as he could not secure prices on the material needed from the manufacturers. After a bid is received and accepted it will take four months to complete the plant, and at the best it cannot be completed before five months from the present time. The sewer is to be finished by the first of the year at the latest and there will be several months between that time and the time when the intercepting plant can be started during which the sewer must remain idle.

"Three months ago the proposition of installing this pumping station was before the board and it was stated by the engineer that some action should be taken at once to advertise for bids in order that it might be finished at the same time as the sewer proper. No move was made, however, until three weeks ago, and by its delay the people living along the sewer will be deprived of its use for several months."

The board opened bids from J. D. Hanley and P. J. Moran for paving extension No. 18. Nothing definite could be determined as to the entire cost and they were referred to the city engineer for tabulation. The board will meet again Monday morning and let the contract. The extension consists of asphalt pavement on State street from First North street to the capital grounds and macadam on First North street from State to Main streets and on Hillside avenue from State street to West Canyon road. The engineer's estimate of the cost was approximately \$2,000. He thought that the bids will exceed this by several thousand dollars. The bids of Moran and Hanley are admittedly close, and not until the engineer tabulates them can it be ascertained who has secured the contract. It was voted to advertise sidewalk extension No. 131. This is on Jefferson and Washington avenues, and consists of about four blocks.

SENATOR HAYBURN OF IDAHO AGAINST THE SCHEME TO BOOM THE PRESIDENT

(Special to The Herald.)

Washington, Sept. 20.—Senator Hayburn does not believe in booming President Roosevelt for another term. The New York World recently wrote the Idaho senator, asking his views on the "second elective term" proposition, and received the following answer:

"Without considering 'mere unthinking sentiment,' but with due consideration for tradition as the government has been and having due heed for the principal which most clearly distinguishes our form of government from those under which the succession of power is inherited rather than selected, and where the individual item of government counts for more than the principle which it represents, I do not think it wise to break through the rule limiting the tenure of the presidential office to two terms."

"I do not regard the instance of President Roosevelt as coming within this rule. He has declared on more than one occasion in public and responsible utterances that he will neither be a candidate nor accept another term."

"There are a sufficient number of competent, patriotic and suitable men in the traditionary part from whom to make a selection that will administer the laws in such a manner as to meet with the approval of the American people."

"The time when the government was in the hands of a few men, and the views held by Senator Borah, from which it may be assumed that Idaho is not of one mind on this issue."

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SUDDEN DEATH OF HEMORRHAGE

Olaf Olson Stricken While on
Way From Sandy to Con-
sult Physician.

WATER IMMEDIATE CAUSE

CHILL FOLLOWING SWALLOWING
OF LIQUID FATAL SHOCK.

Olaf Olson, a farmer of the vicinity of Sandy, died yesterday afternoon as the result of a bronchial hemorrhage that attacked him at the city hay market on Second East, between Third and Fourth South streets. A physician was called, but nothing of avail could be done to relieve the man, and he died within a few moments.

Olson had been a sufferer from consumption for a long time, which probably caused the condition which led to the attack. The immediate cause of the hemorrhage, however, was due to a drink of cold water which he took immediately prior to his seizure.

"Two weeks ago Olson was released from the L. D. S. hospital, where he had been a patient. He had undergone an operation for a tubercular lesion of the foot. Since his release from the hospital he had been suffering from a severe cold, which aggravated his tubercular condition. Yesterday afternoon, in company with his sister, Mrs. A. Peterson, he came to Salt Lake to consult a physician. At the hay market his sister left him to go to the home of another sister, who lives in that vicinity. What Olson was doing, Olson went to the pump and took a drink. Almost immediately he was seized with a hemorrhage.

The men who were near him did everything that was possible and notified the police, who called Police Surgeon Samuel G. Paul. Within a moment or two after Dr. Paul arrived Olson died. His body was taken to the undertaking rooms of E. O'Donnell. His relatives were notified of his death.

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